



Sponge iron export rises over 109% in 10 months on year

TEHRAN- Iran's export of sponge iron rose 109.9 percent during the first ten months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), as compared to the same period of time in the past year, Bahram Sobhani, the chairman of the Iranian Steel Producers Association (ISPA), announced. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494701/Sponge-iron-export-rises-over-109-in-10-months-on-year>

Iran World's Third-Largest Producer of Fresh Dates: Official

TEHRAN (Tasnim) – The chairman of the Iranian National Date Association said Iran is the third-largest producer of the fresh dates in the world. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tasnimnews.com/en/news/2024/02/10/3037187/iran-world-s-third-largest-producer-of-fresh-dates-official>

Export from Qom province rises 13% in 10 months on year

TEHRAN – The value of export from Qom province rose 13 percent during the first 10 months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), as compared to the same period of time in the past year, a provincial official announced. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494716/Export-from-Qom-province-rises-13-in-10-months-on-year>

North Khorasan province exports medicinal plants for 1st time

TEHRAN- As announced by a provincial official, medicinal plants were exported from North Khorasan province, in the northeast of Iran, for the first time. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494718/North-Khorasan-province-exports-medicinal-plants-for-1st-time>



Iran's Non-Oil Trade with Neighbors Hits \$50 bln in 10 Months

TEHRAN (Tasnim) – The value of trade in non-oil goods between Iran and 15 neighboring states during the first 10 months of the current Iranian year (started on March 21, 2023) has reached \$50 billion, an official said. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tasnimnews.com/en/news/2024/02/11/3037599/iran-s-non-oil-trade-with-neighbors-hits-50-bln-in-10-months>

Commodities worth nearly \$1.2b exported from Isfahan province in 10 months

TEHRAN- As announced by a provincial official, 1.909 million tons of products worth \$1.197 billion were exported from Isfahan province during the first 10 months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024). Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494700/Commodities-worth-nearly-1-2b-exported-from-Isfahan-province>

NIOC to ink deals worth \$14b to develop oil, gas fields by late March

TEHRAN – The head of the National Iranian Oil Company (NIOC) has said the company is going to ink contracts worth \$14 billion with domestic companies for the development of the country's oil and gas fields by the end of the current Iranian calendar year (March 19). Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494719/NIOC-to-ink-deals-worth-14b-to-develop-oil-gas-fields-by-late>

Iran FM stresses expanding economic, trade ties with Lebanon

TEHRAN, Feb. 11 (MNA) – The Iranian foreign minister Hossein Amir-Abdollahian has called on the economic activists and Iranian diplomats in Lebanon to expand trade and economic relations with the country. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://en.mehrnews.com/news/211901/Iran-FM-stresses-expanding-economic-trade-ties-with-Lebanon>



Iran to improve trade, economic relations with Zim

IRAN has pledged to improve trade and economic relations with Zimbabwe in a major boost to the country's efforts to lure more foreign direct investments. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.newsday.co.zw/local-news/article/200022946/iran-to-improve-trade-economic-relations-with-zim>

Public transportation fleet to receive 2,500 electric vehicles by late March

TEHRAN – Iran's public transportation fleet is expected to receive 2,500 electric vehicles by the end of the current Iranian calendar year (March 19), an official with the Industry, Mining and Trade Ministry said. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494776/Public-transportation-fleet-to-receive-2-500-electric-vehicles>

Iranian ports' capacity hits 290m tons

TEHRAN - The capacity of Iranian ports has increased to 290 million tons, according to the head of the country's Ports and Maritime Organization (PMO). Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494823/Iranian-ports-capacity-hits-290m-tons>

Domestic manufacturers in deals worth \$86m to build 10 vessels for IRISL

TEHRAN – The Islamic Republic of Iran Shipping Lines (IRISL) has signed deals worth \$86 million with domestic manufacturers for building 10 vessels for the country's shipping fleet, Fars News Agency reported. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494778/Domestic-manufacturers-in-deals-worth-86m-to-build-10-vessels>

Commodities worth \$416m exported from Kerman province in 10 months

TEHRAN- As announced by a provincial official, 340,000 tons of goods worth \$416 million were exported from Kerman province in the first 10 months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024). Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494787/Commodities-worth-416m-exported-from-Kerman-province-in-10-months>

Taking the sting out of sanctions

TEHRAN - When Donald Trump announced that he was re-imposing sanctions on Iran, and even intensifying them, the future began to look bleak and uncertain for me and the large population of Iranian youth. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494816/Taking-the-sting-out-of-sanctions>

Ambassador: Iran seeks to intensify economic cooperation with Belarus

MINSK, 12 February (BelTA) – Iran hopes to intensify economic cooperation with Belarus, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Republic of Belarus Alireza Sanei said at a solemn event on the occasion of Iran's public holiday on 9 February, BelTA has learned. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://eng.belta.by/economics/view/ambassador-iran-seeks-to-intensify-economic-cooperation-with-belarus-155940-2024/>

Gas, electricity swap the most important energy trade between Iran, Armenia: expert

Seyed Mohammad Reza Damavandi, an expert on the South Caucasus region, has said that the most important energy trade between Iran and Armenia was the swap of gas and electricity. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.ilna.ir/Section-economy-4/1447790-gas-electricity-swap-the-most-important-energy-trade-between-iran-armenia-expert>

120 agreements inked to regulate protein market

TEHRAN, Feb. 14 (MNA) – In order to support consumers and regulate the protein market, the Support Corporation for Livestock Affairs of Iran has so far entered into 120 agreements with importing companies. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://en.mehrnews.com/news/212000/120-agreements-inked-to-regulate-protein-market>

Iran-India annual trade exceeds \$1.8b

TEHRAN- The value of trade between Iran and India reached \$1.836 billion in 2023, according to India's Ministry of Commerce and Industry. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494881/Iran-India-annual-trade-exceeds-1-8b>

Export from Kermanshah province rises 19% in 10 months on year

TEHRAN- The value of non-oil export from Kermanshah province, in the west of Iran, rose 19 percent during the first 10 months of the current Iranian calendar year (March 21, 2023-January 20, 2024), as compared to the same period of time in the past year, an official with the province's customs department announced. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494883/Export-from-Kermanshah-province-rises-19-in-10-months-on-year>

Tehran hosting Iran-Armenia Joint Economic Committee meeting

TEHRAN- The 18th meeting of Iran-Armenia Joint Economic Committee began in Tehran on Wednesday. Please visit the following link for more information:

<https://www.tehrantimes.com/news/494888/Tehran-hosting-Iran-Armenia-Joint-Economic-Committee-meeting>

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